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PROPAGATED USING  
ROUTING UPDATES SYSTEM  
AND METHOD

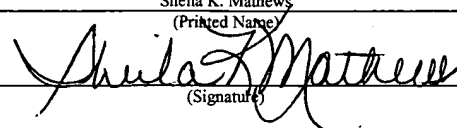
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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated December 13, 2006, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begins on page 5 of this document, and includes an attached replacement drawing sheet.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: